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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: KASAI et al. Conf.: UNASSIGNED  
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For: ABSORBENT ARTICLE

PETITION AND FEE TO DELETE ERRONEOUSLY  
NAMED INVENTOR IN NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

5/3/04

Sir:

1. This amendment and petition is to correct the incorrect original naming of inventor(s) in the declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) as set forth and filed on February 4, 2004.
2. Addition and/or Deletion of Inventor(s)

Add the following previously unnamed person(s) as inventor(s) of this application

Inventor: Residence (city and foreign country):

Delete the following previously incorrectly named inventor(s)

Inventor: Residence (city and foreign country):

Noriko SATO Tochigi, Japan

3. Attachments:

Attached is

(a) A statement from:

each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1).

each person being deleted as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1).

(b) a declaration by each of the actual inventor(s) as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2).

(c) written assent of the assignee (if any of the original inventors executed an assignment) 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(4).

4. Fee Payment (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i))

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed.

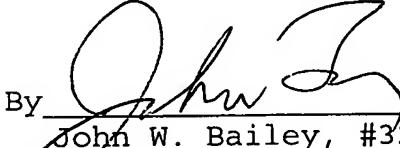
Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or

credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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